GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1089
ANSWERED ON:23.11.2001
WELFARE SCHEMES FOR THE SC STUDENTS
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the schemes presently being implemented for the welfare and upliftment of Scheduled Caste;

(b) whether any special Central assistance is being given to the beneficiaries and particularly to students under the scheme approved by the Central Government;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the specific measures adopted under the scheme in the State of Madhya Pradesh during the last three years?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (DR. SATYANARAYAN JATIYA)

(a) to (d) The list of schemes presently implemented by the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment for welfare and upliftment of Scheduled Castes and assistance provided under these schemes to Madhya Pradesh during the last three years is enclosed.

Out of the schemes implemented, the scheme for provision of Special Central Assistance provides for 100% grant to the State Government as an additive to the Special Component Plan implemented by the State Government for welfare of Scheduled Castes. This amount is utilized for assisting of SC beneficiaries living below poverty line for upgradation of skill and taking up economically viable activities.

Under the scheme, Post Matric Scholarship, Pre-Matric Scholarship, Coaching and Allied Scheme, Book Bank, Assistance for Construction of Hostel and Upgradation of Merit, assistance is provided to the State Government for assisting SC students for pursuing education.

Under the Special Educational Development Scheme for SC girls, assistance is provided to Zilla Parishads in 48 selected Districts in the State of Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, Rajasthan and Madhya Pradesh.

Statement referred to part (a) to (d) of the Reply to Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1089 for 23.11.2001

Name of the State/UT: Madhya Pradesh (Amount in lakhs)

Name of the Scheme	Purpose	Funds provided in 1998-99	Funds provided in 1999-2000	Funds provided in 2000-01
Special Central Assistance	Additive to SCP for SCs development	2237.08	3303.27	1720.00
Assistance to Scheduled Caste Development Corporation	Funding income generating schemes	4.77	NIL	-
Scheme for Post Matric scholarship	Pursuing higher education	NIL	193.85	382.47
Scheme of Pre-matric scholarship	Scholarship to children engaged in unclean occupations	90.22	86.05	153.45
Upgradation of merit scheme	Providing remedial coaching	55.74	39.15	16.80
Scheme of Construction of Girls and Boys hostels	Providing residential facility for SC Girls and Boys	574.53	532.18	1202.46
Scheme of Book Bank	Providing latest text books for technical courses	NIL	NIL	12.79
Coaching and allied scheme	Coaching for various competitive exams	82.94	66.09	44.03
Special Educational Development programme for SC girls	Residential schools for girls	38.95	20.98	-
National Scheme of Liberation & Rehabilitation of Scavengers	Rehabilitation of scavenging families	NIL	883.375	-
National Safai KaramcharisFinance & Development Corporation	Providing loan	228.60	82.25	373.00
Aid to Voluntary Organisations	Providing grants	55.81	83.32	69.98
National SC/ST Finance & Development Corporation	Providing loan	1930.34	1294.53	361.95
PCR and Atrocities	Checking atrocities on SCs/STs	682.06	732.96	977.24
Supporting Project of All India or Inter-state nature for Scheduled Castes (Research & Training)+	Conducting research studies	Nil	Nil	Nil
National Overseas Scholarship to SC, ST etc. students+	Providing scholarship for studies abroad	Nil	Nil	Nil

+ Fund is not released state-wise.